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THE BARRE DAILY TIMES

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 18, 1905.

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TALK OF THE TOWN.

There will be a dance at South Barre, Thursday evening.

Well, above all things avoid imitations. Use Ruberoid.

There will be a free parish supper at the Universalist church Thursday evening.

Old gold and silver wanted at refiners' prices in exchange for goods at F. E. Burr's.

Bring your wagons and carriages to the Averill mills for storage, 23 South Main street.

The Over the Tea Cups club will meet with Mrs. Bradford Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

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Companion Court, Granite City, I. O. E., will give a public whist party in the Worthen block Thursday evening, January 19, at 8 o'clock. Prizes will be given and refreshments will be served.

A special meeting of the Granite City Quilting club will be held on Thursday evening, Jan. 19th, at 7 o'clock, p. m., at the postoffice block. All members are requested to be present. James W. Gauld, secretary.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of St. Monica's church will be held this (Wednesday) evening in the church vestry at 7 o'clock. There will be election of officers for the ensuing year.

The Good Templars are to have a social Wednesday evening, Jan. 18, in the Universalist church vestry. A fine programme has been prepared. Music will be furnished for marching by Miss Spear. Admission 10c.

The partnership of Henry J. and W. D. Smith, meat dealers, having been dissolved January 2, 1905, they desire that all bills owed them be settled up immediately to save cost of collection and that all bills against them be presented not later than February 1.

"Escaped from the Harem" is announced as the attraction at the Barre opera house Wednesday evening. James H. Wallick's company appears in a production headed by the talented actress, Miss Marie Stanwell, and the play is by the well known author, Chas. A. Taylor. With such a combination of circumstances an entertainment of unusual merit may be looked for.

An especially large lot of good bargains are to be had for the next few days at the store of A. A. Smith & Brother. Shirts at 85c, reduced from \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Mufflers, just the thing for the cold winds, the \$1.50 kind at only 95c. Also a clearance of flannel shirts at 95c, reduced from \$1.50, and other things too numerous to mention.

It is quite safe to state that there has not in years been so much discussion over any theatrical attraction booked for this city as has James H. Wallick's new play which is to be produced at the Barre Opera House, Jan. 18, the full title of which is "Escaped from the Harem," or "The White Bride of India." The scenes are laid in this country and in Persia. The second act of the play shows the famous harem of the noted Prince Agura near Siam; shows accurately the interior which is so sumptuously fitted; beautiful wives of the Imperial Prince, his cruel and inhuman guard and the Nubian slaves. There are twenty-four speaking parts in the piece, all of which demand actors of ability and considerable experience. The scenery is naturally elaborate. There is an unusually big demand for seats and the prospects are that there will be a very large attendance.

Spoiled Her Beauty.

Harriet Howard of 209 W. 34th St., New York, at one time had her beauty spoiled with skin trouble. She writes: "I had salt rheum or eczema for years, but nothing would cure it until I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve." A quick and sure healer for cuts, burns and sores. Price, 25 cents at the Red Cross and Pavlor Drug Stores.

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AN EXPLOSION AT SWANTON.

Mixing Building at Powder Plant Was Wrecked.

Swanton, Jan. 18.—The mixing building of the Robin Hood Powder Co. at the plant about a mile outside of this village, blew up yesterday. The mixing room was wrecked but no one was injured.

The men began work at the usual hour and in the building destroyed three of them were performing their usual duties at the time of the explosion. Their duties are to mix and granulate the powder. The real cause of the accident is not known definitely, but it is supposed to have been the result of friction in one of the granulators. The man who was operating the granulator says he was working on the powder when a streak of flame shot across the powder in the box under the sieve. He dropped his tools and ran out and raised the alarm, enabling the others to escape. In a very few minutes the fire had spread and ignited a box of powder that was standing near and it was this explosion which caused the destruction of the building.

The building and contents were destroyed. The flying boards from the building were thrown fully one hundred feet, smashing in all the windows of the engine house, the force of the explosion being apparently only in one direction.

This is the third time there has been an explosion at the plant. At the first two men were injured. At the second, which was November 18, 1903, one man, O. Blair, was killed and a large part of the plant destroyed. When it was rebuilt it was on an entirely new plan, the most dangerous building being placed where, if a fire occurred, the others would be most likely to escape.

VERMONT BOTANICAL CLUB.

Will Hold Winter Meeting at Burlington Wednesday and Thursday of Next Week

The Vermont Botanical Club holds its 10th annual winter meetings Wednesday and Thursday of this week in the rooms of the botanical department of the university, Williams Science hall. In the programme of twenty-seven papers we note papers on "Fossil Plants of Brandon," Prof. George H. Perkins of the university; "Nitrogen Gathering Bacteria," L. P. Sprague, B. S., of the university; "The Story of Sugar Maple," J. A. Chapin, Middlesex; "The York of the Vermont Forestry Association," Vice President W. J. Van Patten, Burlington; "A Tribute to Prof. Jesup," Dr. Richardson, Dartmouth college; "Searching for Pines in Mexico," Cyrus C. Pringle, keeper of the herbarium of the university; "Botanical Investigations of the Department of Agriculture," W. A. Orton, '97, pathologist, bureau of plant industry; "Studies of Vermont Violets," Pres. Brainerd, Middlebury college; "Experiments in Plant Breeding," Prof. William Stuart of the university; "Reports on Vermont Mosses," Dr. A. J. Grout, '00, Brooklyn, N. Y.; "Vermont Ferns," W. W. Eggleston of the New York Botanical Gardens, and Allan Bourn, Yonkers, N. Y.; "A New Species of Fern," Mrs. Elizabeth B. Davenport, Brattleboro; "Botanical Reminiscences of Europe," Prof. L. R. Jones of the university.

FOUR MEN HURT.

Collision On Central Vermont Near Swanton Junction.

Swanton, Jan. 18.—There was a head-on collision near Swanton Junction yesterday morning between north and south bound Central Vermont freight trains. Four men were slightly injured. Brakemen Carley and A. Beaudry were bruised about the face, engineer T. McGuire's shoulder was wrenched, and fireman C. Bailey bruised on the knee. The crews of both engines jumped when it was seen that a collision was inevitable.

The Swanton Junction station agent was in the railroad yard when he saw the lights of the two engines approaching. He swung his lantern and the engineer of the south bound train slowed up. The north bound was running at a good rate. An attempt was made to stop both trains but it was impossible and the engines came together with a crash, smashing in the front of the south bound engine. The trucks were knocked out and the cab partly demolished. The first two cars were loaded with beef and were telescoped, the contents being scattered in all directions. Other cars were thrown from the track and the tender stood upon end.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

Of Julia H. Adams of Fair Haven to A. H. Geisler of Carmen, Okla.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 18.—Mr. and Mrs. J. Pinckney Henderson of Fair Haven, Vermont, formerly of New York city, announce the engagement of their sister, Miss Julia H. Adams of this city to Arthur H. Geisler of Carmen, Oklahoma. Miss Adams is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward White of Louisiana, and grand daughter of General Pinckney Henderson, the first governor of Texas, who died in this city while representing his state in the United States Senate.

Fine Programme Arranged.

A musicale is to be given this evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Averill for the benefit of the Currier Park Improvement Association. A fine programme will be as follows: Selections by Mandolin club, Mr. and Mrs. Eastman and Dr. Watt; reading, Mrs. Arthur Averill; solo, W. H. Pitkin; selection, Mandolin club; violin solo, James Riley; reading, Dr. F. M. Lynde, solo, Mrs. B. W. Braley. The admission will be 20 cents. The musicale was yesterday announced as to occur at Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Stetle's, but this was an error.

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NEW INDUSTRY FOR VERGENNES.

L. F. Benton May Establish Broom Factory—City Meeting Called.

Vergennes, Jan. 18.—A special city meeting has been called for Tuesday evening, January 24, to consider the question of selling a part of the land, and the water power, owned by the city, to L. F. Benton of this place. The property consists of a strip of land 8322 feet, situated on the east side of Otter Creek below the falls, including the water power which goes with the place.

It is not known for a certainty what Mr. Benton intends to do with the property, should he gain possession of it, but it is stated on good authority that he will erect a building for the manufacture of brooms, and probably other articles.

New County Court Cases.

Montpelier, Jan. 18.—The following cases have been entered in county court: George Daniels vs. Alvin Cato, trespass, J. G. Wing for the plaintiff; Joseph B. Steward vs. John Edwards, apt. trover, J. P. Lamson for defendant; Giovanni Tomasi vs. F. Massucco apt., justice ejectment, T. J. Deavitt for plaintiff and Lord & Carleton for defendants; E. F. Smith vs. George May, seduction, J. P. Lamson for plaintiff; Daniel Guyette vs. W. R. Danforth, trespass, J. P. Lamson for plaintiff; Chester E. Searles vs. Nina G. Searles, divorce, Gordon & Jackson for petitioner.

Montpelier's Delinquent Taxpayers.

Montpelier, Jan. 18.—At the special meeting of the city council held on Monday evening, the board went carefully over the list of delinquent taxpayers and the city sheriff was instructed to take strict measures to collect these bills. Many of the amounts shown by the list are cases where the lists were given twice or where the party should be exempted. The city sheriff said that he had sent out about 360 duns demanding payment by Jan. 21. A board of civil authority meeting will be called soon, at which the list will be cleared up.

GRANITEVILLE.

All officers and the members of the Degree Staff, of Maple Leaf Camp, No. 8392, M. W. of A., are requested to meet at Miles Hall, January 22, 1905, at 1:30 sharp.

Prof. Corliss' singing school class will give a grand concert in the Presbyterian hall Wednesday evening, Jan. 18. The concert will consist of solos, choruses, duets, and dramatic entertainment. Admission 15 cts. Children 10 cts. Ladies bringing boxes of food will be admitted free.

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